UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 1:23-cv-00369-NRM-RML

Plaintiff,

-against-

RARE BREED TRIGGERS, LLC; RARE BREED FIREARMS, LLC; LAWRENCE DEMONICO; KEVIN MAXWELL,

Defendants.

<u>DECLARATION OF DEFENDANT KEVIN MAXWELL</u> <u>IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO QUASH</u>

- I, Kevin Maxwell, have personal knowledge of the following facts set forth below, and if called as a witness I would testify as follows:
- 1. I am the owner of Rare Breed Triggers, LLC ("Rare Breed Triggers") and currently serve as its chief legal counsel, and also owner of Law Offices of Kevin C. Maxwell.
- 2. On January 18, 2021, I contacted Mr. Richard Vasquez regarding Rare Breed Triggers' interest in retaining him as an expert.
- 3. Retainer and non-disclosure agreements between Mr. Vasquez and Rare Breed Triggers were signed by Mr. Vasquez on January 18, 2021.
- 4. Rare Breed Triggers engaged Mr. Vasquez for his opinion on whether the FRT-15 was a machinegun, reasonably anticipating litigation over the issue.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Executed on June/22, 2023.

Kevin Maxwell